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PRESENT:

HIPAA and Other Health Benefits Laws: Compliance Assistance Seminar

May 8th & 9th, 2003

WHY SHOULD YOU ATTEND THIS SEMINAR?

If you are an employer who is trying to comply with federal and Montana state laws regarding your health plan, this is your chance to talk to both federal and Montana state regulators at the same time, in the same place. If you are a third party administrator or a carrier who has questions about new laws and issues, this is your opportunity to ask the experts.

The U.S. Department of Labor is teaming up with the Montana Dept. of Insurance to bring you practical information, helpful tips, and clarification regarding Montana and federal health benefits laws. In addition to the U.S. Dept. of Labor and the Montana Dept. of Insurance, we will be joined by representatives from the IRS and HHS, who will speak and answer questions.

This seminar is FREE and open to the first 50 registrants. Registration will be on a first come first served basis, so please fill out and return the registration form on the back of this brochure AS SOON AS POSSIBLE by fax, phone or email if you wish to attend.

HELENA MONTANA MAY 8, 2003 TENTATIVE AGENDA

8:30 – 9:00 a.m.- **Registration & sign in**

9:00 – 9:30 a.m. – Welcome and purpose of meeting, Opening remarks by representatives of the U.S. Dept. of Labor and the Montana Dept. of Insurance

9:30 - 10:30 a.m. **–DOL HIPAA and Montana Health Insurance Compliance**

Speakers: Representatives from

- U.S. Dept. of Labor
- Montana Dept. of Insurance

10:30 - 10:45 a.m. - **BREAK**

10:45 – 12:00 p.m.. – Federal COBRA and Montana Specific Continuation of Coverage

Speakers: Representatives from

- Internal Revenue Service
- Montana Dept. of Insurance
- U.S. Dept. of Labor

12:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m. – **LUNCH** on your own

115 p.m. to 2:30 p.m. – **Dept. of Labor Claims Regulation**

- Speaker: Representative from
- U.S. Dept. of Labor

2:30 - 2:45 p.m. – **BREAK**

2:45 – 4:00 p.m. – **HHS HIPAA Privacy Regulation**Representative from

 U.S. Dept. of Health and Human Services

HELENA MONTANA MAY 9, 2003 TENTATIVE AGENDA

9:00 a.m. – 10:30 a.m.- **DOL HIPAA**

Compliance Part II

 Practice Self-Audit Exam (first Half)

10:30 am – 10:45 am **Break**

10:45 am – 12:00 pm - **DOL HIPAA**

Compliance Part II

 Practice Self-Audit Exam (Second Half)

SEMINAR LOCATION

The HIPAA and Other Health Benefits Laws: Compliance Assistance Seminar will be held at the Red Lion Colonial Hotel, 2301 Colonial Drive, Helena, MT telephone number (406) 443-2100.

If you plan to spend the night at the hotel, please contact them directly, at (406) 443-2100, ask for reservations